

Part 2 - Amendments to Claims

38. A support contour as defined in claim 1 incorporated in a support structure for a cushion, the support structure comprising a matrix of resilient adhered-together plastic beads.

39. A support contour as defined in claim 38, wherein the adhered-together plastic beads define spaces between the beads to establish permeability for air movement within the support structure.

40. A method as defined in claim 22, further comprising:
incorporating the support contour in a support structure of a cushion;
and

forming the support structure from a matrix of resilient adhered-together plastic beads.

41. A method as defined in claim 40, further comprising:
allowing air movement within the support structure through spaces between the adhered-together plastic beads.

42. A method as defined in claim 31, further comprising:
incorporating the support contour in a support structure of a cushion;
and

forming the support structure from a matrix of resilient adhered-together plastic beads.

43. A method as defined in claim 42, further comprising:
allowing air movement within the support structure through spaces between the adhered-together plastic beads.